

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.	:	10/003,789	Confirmation No.	:	4876
Applicant	:	Celi, <i>et al.</i>			
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 24, 2006 (Office Action), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this submission.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this submission.